

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA  
Criminal No.: 05-97 (MJD/JGL)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

ORDER

(2) KAREN PETERSON,

Defendant.

Defendant Peterson has filed a waiver of speedy trial in this case due to plea negotiations. Therefore, the Court will grant a continuance of the trial date.

Based on all the files, records and proceedings herein, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED**, that:

1. Defendant Peterson waiver of speedy trial [docket # 41] is

**GRANTED;**

2. The time between June 27, 2005, and October 14, 2005, shall be excluded in computing the time within which the trial in this matter must commence under the Speedy Trial Act pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 3161(h)(8)(A). The ends of justice will be served by continuing the trial date. This finding is based upon the Court's conclusion that the failure to grant such a continuance would unreasonably deny the parties a right to a fair and just hearing.

Dated: August 10, 2005

s/ Michael J. Davis  
MICHAEL J. DAVIS  
United States District Court Judge